

JUST ONE WORD TO OUR CITY PEOPLE.

If you will do your Holiday shopping to-day (Friday) instead of waiting till to-morrow, you will get much better service.

Every store will be crowded from cellar to garret on Saturday, and by shopping on to-day, you will save yourself much inconvenience and help the merchants.

J. H. Anderson & Co.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

Ladies Bed Room Slippers, Red and Black Quilted Slippers, fur trimmed, at

\$1.50.

Gentlemen's House Slippers

\$1.50 and \$2.00,

Very Handsome

Gentlemen's Silk Handkerchiefs,
25c and 50c,

White and Colors.

ALL STYLES IN NECKWEAR,
25c to 50c.

New Idea Mufflers, 50c.

Elegant Silk-lined Kid Gloves, \$1.00.

Tiger Brand Hats.

Monarch Shirts.

Useful Presents are Most Appreciated.

Burnett & Quarles.

MEET TOMORROW.

Call Issued For Meeting of State Commissioners.

Judge Pryor's Successor May be Elected—Contest Notices Will be Served Today.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 20.—Chairman Pryor, of the State Election Commission, arrived here to-day from his home and issued a call for a meeting of the commission, to be held on Saturday next, the 23d inst., in the office of the secretary of State here. The meeting is for the purpose of examining and canvassing the returns from the congressional election just held in the Seventh district. The County Commissioners will meet in each of the eight counties of the district to-morrow and prepare the returns.

If Capt. W. T. Ellis and Senator C. B. Poyntz, the other members of the State Commission, can both be present at the meeting on Saturday the matter of Judge Pryor's resignation will be considered, and his successor on the board named.

Though notices of contest have been prepared against both Gov. Taylor and Lieut. Gov. Marshall, they have not been served, and probably will not be until Friday.

Louis McQuown, of Bowling Green, will be the leading counsel for Mr. Goebel before the Legislature. Taylor's managers say counsel for the Republicans will not confine themselves to rebuttal of the grounds of contest laid down in the Goebel notice, but will go outside, and expect to show flagrant frauds in many of the large Democratic counties.

DEATH CLAIMS

Well Known Tobacco Man—Sick Only a Few Days.

Mr. Hiram A. Phelps, Jr., a prominent tobacco dealer of the Hopkinsville market, died rather suddenly at six o'clock Wednesday evening, of internal hemorrhage, aged about forty years. He was one of our best known and most popular young men, and as he had been sick only a few days, his death was a surprise and great shock to his host of friends in this city, in which he was born and had spent all his life. He was the youngest son of the late Hiram A. Phelps, for many years the Nestor of the Hopkinsville bar, and belonged to one of the oldest and most widely known families in Western Kentucky. For years past his has been one of the familiar faces seen upon the boards of the tobacco market and the streets of our city.

Hiram was a noble fellow and had a host of friends and no enemies.

Funeral services were held at the Phelps residence, on South Main street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the interment followed at Hopewell. A large course of friends and relatives witnessed the last sad rites.

DIED OF HEMORRHAGE.

Young Lady Passes Away After Brief Illness.

Miss Ethel Duke, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. L. P. Duke, died at the home of her parents on Jesus Avenue Tuesday morning of hemorrhage of the bowels. She was only ill about a week and her death was rather sudden. She was a very bright and popular young lady and leaves a large circle of friends to mourn her loss.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon and the interment took place in Hopewell.

Shepherd-Oden.

Milton R. Shepherd, a Todd county planter, and Miss Ollie Oden, of Christian, were united in marriage at the home of the bride, near Bainbridge yesterday.

KILLED BY FILIPINO.

Soldier's Death Comes to Gen. Lawton at San Mateo.

Gallant Warrior Falls in Front of His Troops—Death Followed Immediately.

Manila, Dec. 19.—Maj. Gen. Henry W. Lawton has been shot and killed at San Mateo. He was on the firing line, in front of his troops, was shot in the breast and died immediately.

Gen. Lawton was walking along the firing line within 300 yards of a small sharpshooters' trench, conspicuous in the big white helmet he always wore, and a light yellow raincoat. He was also easily distinguishable by reason of his commanding stature.

San Mateo lies between a high mountain behind and a broad, shallow stream in front, with wide sandbars which the insurgent trenches and the buildings command. The Americans were compelled to ford the river under fire. It was while they were lying in the rice fields and volleying across preparatory to passing the stream that Gen. Lawton was shot.

All except the officers were behind cover. A staff officer was wounded about the same time, and one other officer and seven men were wounded.

After three hours' shooting the Filipinos were dispersed into the mountains.

Col. Lockett took command when Gen. Lawton fell.

Gen. Lawton was known as a good fighter and soldier of experience and ability. He served in the Union army throughout the civil war.

He married Miss Mamie Craig, a Kentucky lady, seventeen years ago, and his wife and their four children accompanied him to the Philippines.

The body will be brought to Manila and sent to the United States for burial.

CAYCE-MAJOR.

Prominent Young Farmer Takes Unto Himself a Wife.

The marriage of Miss Mary E. Major, the pretty and accomplished daughter of the late Jas. Major, and Mr. Minor M. Cayce, a prominent South Christian farmer, took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, two miles west of the city, amid a large assembly of mostly young people, friends of the contracting parties. Dr. Chas. H. Nash, of this city, performed the ceremony. A wedding supper was served and the occasion was heartily enjoyed by the large crowd present. The bride is a lady of much beauty and enjoys a wide popularity. The groom is a son of Mr. G. R. Cayce and enjoys the esteem of all with whom he has been associated, and no young man in the county is more popular.

The young couple were tendered an elegant reception last night at home of the groom's father, five miles south of the city, where a very large crowd assembled to participate in the festivities. Mr. and Mrs. Cayce will go to housekeeping near Beverly.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Drummer Goes Through Culvert With Disastrous Results.

Mr. Harry Bridges, the well-known Louisville merchant and traveling man, happened to a painful accident in this city Tuesday. He was walking down the street and in attempting to cross a culvert broke through the arch. Mr. Bridges was thrown to the ground with such force that his left arm was dislocated. He was taken to Dr. J. B. Jackson's office, where he received the necessary surgical attention and was able to continue his business trip.



MOAYON'S - BIG - STOR-

WANTS TO SEE YOU ALL

As they have opened up an elegant stock of

Neckwear, Mufflers, Gloves, Hosiery, Umbrellas, Trunks and all that's beautiful

so dear to fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts. We advise you to call and see these pretty things, as

We have the latest styles and lowest prices in Hopkinsville.

Geo. W. Center

OFFERS THE FOLLOWING PRICES

UNTIL JANUARY 1st.

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| One lot Ladies Net Vests and Pants..... | 15c each, two for 25c |
| One lot Ladies Net Vests and Pants, extra good value..... | 25c each |
| One lot Ladies Union Suits..... | 25c each |
| One lot Children's Union Suits..... | 25c each |
| One lot Men's Undershirts..... | 15c each |
| One lot Men's Undershirts, heavy, good..... | 15c each |
| One lot Wright's Wool Fleeced Underwear, worth \$1, for..... | 75c each |
| One lot Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, worth \$1, for..... | 75c suit |
| One lot Men's Heavy All Wool Double Breasted Suits, 34 to 40, worth \$8.50, they can't be matched, will give them away for..... | .50 |
| ALL MY OVERCOATS AT COST DELIVERED. | |
| One lot Jeans-Pants, worth 75c, for..... | .50c |
| One lot Jeans-Pants, worth \$1.00, for..... | .75c |
| One lot All Wool Unshered Jeans-Pants, (lined) worth \$1.00, for..... | .85 |
| Mr. Dodge's Fleeced Lined Gloves..... | .15c |
| Men's Heavy Cloth Gloves..... | .10c pair |
| And a good glove it is. | |

ALL MEN'S CLOTHING AT COST.

Yours, &c.,

GEO. W. CENTER.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 15, 1899.

A \$300 HAUL.

Thief Entered House While Family Were at Supper.

trees tomorrow evening. Several district schools will finish up the term this week.

Peter Postell III.

Peter Postell, Sr., the well-known colored groceryman and business man, has been dangerously ill at his home on North Clay street for several days. He is suffering from some heart affection, which threatens a fatal termination.

Baptizing Sunday.

Rev. E. Williams will baptize at 11 o'clock Sunday the converts of the recent meeting at the Virginia street colored Baptist church. There are about 50. The baptizing will take place in Little River, near the Dalton lime kiln.

"La Creole" Will Restore those Gray Hairs of Yours

SOLD BY R.C. HARDWICK, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

FIGHTING BOERS.

England Licked Again With Heavy Losses.

Summary of the British Losses

Up to the Present Time and Nothing Done.

London, Dec. 18.—The war office professes not to have any news from the seat of the war beyond a partial list and a summary of the totals of the casualties in the Tugela river engagement. The censor evidently blocks other channels of information.

Gen. Buller reports officially his losses yesterday at eighty-two killed, 667 wounded, missing 348; total, 1,097.

WHAT IT HAS COST BRITAIN.

British Engagements. Casualties, Glenco and Dundee...Gen.

Yule's retreat.....467

Elandslaagte....Boers checked.....264

Rietfontein....Indecisive.....118

Nicholson's Nek....British reverse.....1,106

Cheviot....Armored train captured.....65

Willow Grange....Boers checked.....97

Lady with sortie....Boer gun destroyed.....62

Belmont....British checked.....289

Gras Pan....British checked.....195

Modder River....British checked.....833

Tugela River....British defeated.....1,150

Kirkman's.....170

Total.....5,917

Gen. Sir George White is besieged at Ladysmith.

Gen. Glery's division, with Gen. Buller's headquarters, is stopped at the Tugela river, on the way to relieve Gen. White.

Gen. Gatacre, with the Second division, has just retreated to Sterkstroom after his defeat at Sterkstroom.

Gen. Lord Methuen, who started with the First Division November 22 to relieve besieged Kimberley, was checked at Belmont, Gras Pan and Modder River, and now, after being heavily reinforced, has been defeated at Magersfontein.

ROBERTS AND KITCHENER.

London, Dec. 18.—Great Britain has waked up to the size of the job it has on hand in South Africa, and is preparing to strike with all its strength. Gen. Roberts is to be sent to South Africa as Commander-in-chief. Gen. Buller has all he can do looking after the campaign in Natal. Gen. Kitchener, the conqueror of the Soudan, goes to the front as Gen. Roberts' chief of staff. All the remaining regiments have been ordered out, and twenty-four battalions of militia will be brought into service. In addition mounted volunteers from the yeomanry regiments and from the colonies will be given work against the Boers. The attitude of the Boers and the Dutch farmers in Cape Colony and Basutoland causes grave apprehension.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

For the Christmas and New Year Holidays, the Illinois Central R.R. will sell round trip tickets to all points on its Southern lines, to all points on the St. Louis Division, between Paducah and Cairo, Mo., inclusive, and to all points in the Mexico & Mississippi Valley R.R., at rate of one and one-third. Tickets will be sold on Dec. 2, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, and 31, and Jan. 1, limited to date of sale for going passage, and to Jan. 4th, return.

Account of Meeting of Southern Association in the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Memphis on Dec. 25th, and 26th, at rate of one and one-half \$2.00. Return tickets limited to Jan. 5th.

E. M. Sherwood, Agt.

PON LETTER.

Many News Items and Society Notes.

Pon, Ky., Dec. 15.—Our school closed to-day and we were all sorry to part with our school mates and teacher.

Mrs. Minnie King, who has been very sick for the last three weeks, is thought to be some better.

Mrs. Melvina Bone fell the other day, and fears are entertained that she will not recover.

Miss Annie Herndon, daughter of Rev. P. E. Herndon, of Cave Spring, Logan county, is teaching a singing school at New Barron Spring Baptist church. She is a good instructor in vocal music.

Hog killing is in progress at this time. The farmers are killing some very fine hogs. There will be plenty of meat this year. The ruling price for pork in our neighborhood is five cents per pound.

Died Dec. 9, Moses Allen, of blood poison. He was one of our school mates. When we all returned to school next morning and saw his vacant seat, it made the teacher and pupils feel sad to know that he would never be there any more. His spirit has gone out to meet the great Redeemer.

HONEY BEE.

STATE TEACHERS.

Important Meeting in Louisville During the Holidays.

The Kentucky Educational Association will meet in Louisville Dec. 27 to 29. About a dozen teachers from this county will go, including Miss Katie McDaniel, county superintendent. She will have a paper on "Problems of the Rural Schools" on the first day and will also take part in a discussion of the Trustee System.

Prof. Jas. H. Fuqua, of Russellville, will discuss "Quo Vadis" on the last day.

Among the prominent teachers who will have places on the program will be Prof. H. V. McChesney, Democratic contestant for the office of State Superintendent, and Prof. John Burke, who will qualify Jan 2 and hold the office until the contest is decided.

Miss Salie R. Brown, of Hopkins county will also have a paper.

The place of meeting will be at the Boys' High School, between Walnut and Chestnut, on First street.

The Fifth Avenue Hotel will give a rate of \$1.50 a day and the railroads will give a special rate of one and one-third fare, on the usual certificate plan.

SHERIFF BARNES SETTLES

With State Auditor Stone For the Year 1899.

Sheriff J. J. Barnes has made a full settlement with State Auditor Stone for the year 1899 and received his quietus. The total charge against the sheriff on the assessor's books was \$45,316.17. Mr. Barnes was complimented for the completeness of his report and promptness of settlement.

Eggleton's Cottages.

Messrs. Forbes & Bro. are putting the finishing touches on Mr. J. H. Eggleton's six new cottages, built in the most convenient and improved modern styles. A few more enterprising men like Mr. Eggleton are needed in Hopkinsville. We would soon have a city we would be proud of.

A Sure Thing For You.

In a transaction in which you cannot lose is a sure thing.

Biliousness, sick headache, furred tongue, fever, piles

and a thousand other ills are caused by constipation and sluggish liver.

Cascarels Cathartic, the wonder-

ful new stimulant and intestinal tonic are by all druggists guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

C. C. C. are a sure thing. Try a box to-day; 10c, 25c, 50c. Sample and booklet free. See our ad.

People who can't tell what they

want always blame others for what

they don't get.

FOR PNEUMONIA.

Dr. C. J. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says he have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month with good results."

A bad theory is most dangerous when held by a good man.

DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Nothing is more important than to eat food being properly digested, it creates poisons and gross into your blood and then you are liable to die. Use Dr. Caristia's German Liver Powder, and watch the results. You will find the good effects of this powder does. Give it a trial and be convinced. Price 25c.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Cures Your Cough and the Medicine for Children.

For sale by Anderson & Fowler.

Parlor manners are all right to have in stock, but they will never do to foul a character on.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Anderson & Fowler and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, which always gives relief.

Cheap advertising schemes soon get displayed out.

LOST.

Many have lost confidence and hope as well as health, because they have been told their Kidney disease was incurable. Foley's Kidney Cure is a Guaranteed remedy for the discouraged and disconsolate. Sold by Anderson & Fowler.

If people cultivated good habits as earnestly as they do fads the millennium would soon dawn.

Chapped hands, cracked lips and roughness of the skin cured quickly by Balsam. Save, the best healing ointment in the world. 25c. Sold by Anderson & Fowler.

Fortunately a great many exploded theories are practically blank cartridges.

No man can work well with a torpid liver or constipated bowels. A few doses of ERICKLY ASB BITTERS will quickly remove this condition and make work a pleasure.

The wise woman will "conceal her rage.

Dr. Goss' Spruce Gum Balsam. A physician in Boston has made a Spruce Gum Balsam. The formula is on the package. Cures your Cough in a day. Very pleasant to taste. Large size bottles, Price 25c and 50c.

For a Beautiful Complexion Use Dr. Caristia's German Liver Powder.

For sale by Anderson & Fowler.

The man who spends time perfecting his jokes is certain to find an ingrate audience.

Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarels Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sticky bilious complexion by taking Cascarels Cathartic for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Christmas Entertainment.

There will be a Christmas entertainment at Highland Chapel on E. 7th street to-night, by the Sunday School, to which every body is cordially invited. The following is the program:

Opening Song.....Choir

Prayer.....Superintendent

Welcome Address.....Julia Elliott

Exercise.....Eight Little Brownies

Recitation.....Raymond Elliott

Song.....Choir

Recitation.....Gordon Walker

Star of Bethlehem, Five Little Girls

Recitation.....Leslie Hays

Address.....Rev. Ransom

Song.....Choir

Recitation.....Ruth Elliott

Exercise.....Infant Class

Recitation.....Claud Morris

Christmas Angels.....7 Young Ladies

Recitation.....Vera DeBoe

Recitation.....Kate Morris

Collection.....Choir

Song.....Choir

Benediction.

Bibles For Prisoners.

Miss Jessie Glass, of the state Society of Christian Endeavor, will this week send out 600 Testaments to the prisoners in the state penitentiaries. Personal letters will also be sent to each of the prisoners, to be written by some member of the society.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

First - National - Bank,

at Hopkinsville, Kentucky, - at the close of business DEC. 2nd, 1899,

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....\$10,256.49

Overdrafts, Accrued and Unpaid.....\$10,000.00

U. S. Bonds on Hand.....\$10,000.00

Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....\$100.00

Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....\$151.00

Due from State Banks and Banks not in the above-named list.....\$10,000.00

Less from approved reserve agents.....\$6.00

Notes of other National Banks.....\$2,000.00

Fractional paper currency, ticked out.....\$29.11

Lawful money reserve in BANK, viz.:

Legal-tender notes.....\$9,000.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury.....\$9,000.00

Due from U. S. Treas. or other than a bank or agent in redemption fund.....\$2.50

Total.....\$26,962.99

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....\$10,000.00

Surplus fund, less less expenses and taxes paid.....\$10,000.00

National Bank Outstanding.....\$18,000.00

Individual Deposits.....\$100.00

Dividends unpaid.....\$10.00

Individual Deposits subject to check.....\$10,000.00

Total.....\$845,124.70

STATE KEEPER.

COUNTY OF CHRISTIANA 1899.

IN THE COUNTY OF CHRISTIANA, in the State of Kentucky, on the 1st day of December, 1899, I, Walter W. Lashier, Sheriff of Christian County, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. W. LONG, Usher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Dec. 1899.

WALTER W. LASHIER, N. P.

Correspond Attest:

Geo. C. Long, J. N. C. Dowdy, Directors.

J. F. Prowle, J. D.

"LA CREOLE" HAIR RESTORE.

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Mousiness

Do you get up with a headache? Is there a taste in your mouth? Do you have a poor appetite and a week digest food and frequently stay, always feel dull and frequently feel but little benefit from your food? Do you feel the effects of this trouble? Constipated bowels will give you prompt relief and soon cure. 26c. a box. All druggists. **Keep Your Blood Pure.** If you have constipated your colon, how long will you have to wait before you can get rid of it? Ayer's Sarsaparilla also will remove all impurities that have been accumulating in your body. Price, \$1.00 a bottle. For your nerves. Price, \$1.00 a bottle. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Hopkinsville Kentuckian

Published Tuesday and Friday Morning

CHAS. M. MEACHAM.

SUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

Local reading notices 20 cents per line. Special notices 30 cents line each insertion. Rates for standing advertisements furnished on application.

OFFICE 222 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

FRIDAY, DEC. 22, 1899.

Goebel received 27,000 more votes than any Democrat ever received for a State office in Kentucky.

Mr. Thomas C. O'Bryan has purchased a half interest in the Madisonville Hustler and will hereafter have charge of the business department of that paper.

India has been called upon to aid in Great Britain's fight against the Boers. Canada and Australia have already arranged to send more men, and the raising of volunteers still goes on in England.

Samuel Flowers, Democrat, will test the election of B. F. Lott, Republican Representative-elect in Hancock county, on the ground that it was a United States gauger at the time of his election.

The currency bill, which was debated all last week, was passed by the House by a vote of 190 to 150. The republican support of the measure was unbroken and eleven gold Democrats voted with them.

Several hundred cats were shipped out of New York City yesterday, bound for the Philippines, to wage war on the millions of rats and mice on the islands. They were pur chased at fifteen cents apiece.

It is said acting Gov. Taylor is holding back the pie until he gets out of the woods himself. Republican members of the Legislature are in a position to do a good deal of business with the man who hopes to hold on to a office given to him by counting fraudulent and illegal votes.

Kentucky members of Congress were assigned to committees as follows: Wheeler, Naval Affairs; Rhea, Labor and Banking Committee; Pugh, Appropriations; Smith, Judiciary; Berry, Rivers and Harbors and Foreign Affairs; Fitzpatrick and Boeing, Pensions; Turner, Militia and Alcoholic Traffic; Gilbert, Private Land Claims and Expenditures in the Post-office Department.

June W. Gayle, of Owen county, Democratic nominee, was elected to Congress in the Seventh district Monday to fill out the term of the late Evan E. Settle. He defeated W. C. Owen, who ran as the fusion candidate of the anti-Goeble Democrats and Republicans. His majority was something over 4,000. He carried all the counties in the district except Fayette, and only lost it by 36.

The Republicans have selected Bradley to head their advisory committee, in conducting their contests next February. The Contest Committee to try the contests for Governor and Lieutenant Governor will be drawn by the two houses of the General Assembly on the third day after they assemble or on Thursday, January 4. On the same day will be drawn the committees to try the fifteen or twenty contests by Democrats and Republi-

cans over seats in the Senate and House. All these committees will require more members than there are Senators and Representatives. Therefore, some men will serve on several contest committees. The contests for the other offices will be tried by the Election Commission about Feb. 7.

At The Baptist Church.

There will be a meeting regardless of denominational affiliation, at the Baptist church next Sabbath evening that will no doubt claim the interest and attendance of all lovers of humanity. Mr. Fredrick A. Wallis, now of Louisville, who has devoted a great portion of his time during the past three or four years to holding services in the penitentiaries, jails and other places, will address the meeting. Mr. Wallis is so well known to our readers that it would be superfluous to say anything in his praise. He is known all over the State as an untiring worker for the poor unfortunate who fill our prisons. Next year he goes to London to the International Convention and wants to make as fair a showing this year for his native state as possible. Of course his legion of friends here will be glad to hear him speak next Sabbath evening. On account of the fact that such a large crowd could not be seated at the First Presbyterian church, as first advertised, the meeting will be held at the Baptist church, which has a capacity of something over a thousand.

LAFAYETTE ITEMS.

Shoe Stock Sold—Big Christmas Tree—Other Items.

Lafayette, Ky., Dec. 19.—Mr. Ed R. Regard has sold his stock of shoes and furnishing to Mr. Joseph Beazley.

Dr. C. J. Northington and wife have broken up housekeeping and gone to live with their daughter, H. C. Crenshaw, of the Roaring Springs neighborhood.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Methodist church here next Monday evening, Dec. 25, to which the public is invited.

A large crowd is expected on the eve.

SQUIRE.

How's That?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Cather that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Chenev for the last 15 years, and find him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toled, O. and MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, among nearly all the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A Florida matron has patented a useful can heating apparatus.

Galing a Wile Reputation.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Paia Balm is gaining a wide reputation. Dr. Johnson of Richmond, Ind., has had trouble with that almost since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found a thing that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Paia Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and pained me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me." For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

To restore wilted vegetables lay them in cold water for an hour.

There are few ailments so uncomfortable as piles, but they can easily be cured by using TABLER'S DERMATITE PILE OINTMENT. It relieves those who have been suffering from piles cannot fail to regain it a trial. Price, 50 cents, in bottles, tubes 75 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

The steamship Southworth sailed from New York today for Europe with 44,000 cunes of silver aboard.

Have you a cold? A dose of Con's Honey of Tar at bed time will remove it. Price 25 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

The wood mantelmakers of America are holding a secret meeting at Cincinnati.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure for constipation forever. 10c. 25c. 11c. C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

WHEELER AND FAXON.

The Well Known Tobacco Warehousemen Insert Their Card.

The attention of the farmers is called to the tobacco card of Messrs. Wheeler & Faxon, which is inserted in today's KENTUCKIAN.

Both Dr. W. G. Wheeler and Mr. W. H. Faxon, the members of the firm, are well and favorably known throughout the dark tobacco district, having been engaged in the business for years, and further comment, we feel, is unnecessary.

Any of the wood consigned to them will have most careful attention and patrons can rest assured that their every interest will be guarded.

The weekly sales of this popular house will hereafter appear in these columns, as the tobacco is disposed of.

DANIEL OLVEY.

Bainbridge Couple Married by County Judge Wednesday.

Mr. Lawrence Daniel and Miss Hattie Olvey, a young couple living in the Bainbridge neighborhood, were united in marriage Wednesday morning. Judge Cansler performed the ceremony in the County Clerk's office.

Henshaw And Ten Broeck.

The popularity of farce comedy has been heightened greatly in the past few seasons by strong variety attractions that have taken a hold on the public and caused a decline of the drama. When Henshaw and Ten Broeck came before the public in force comedy some 12 years ago they gave a bright, breezy, lively performance that proved a success, and in doing so immediately made friends with theatre goers. This season they will make the attempt of their lives to duplicate and excel, if possible, any of their previous efforts as fun makers and to accomplish that have produced what is really a new comedy. It is called "Dodge's Trip to New York." With a score of merry makers it will amuse the tired business man, the overworked artisan, the weary clerk and the thrifty housewife and will succeed in making them forget life's trials in its whirl of satisfying fun. Henshaw and Ten Broeck have been justly named the "millionaires of fun" as they make fun for the millions.

They will be at Hollands Opera House Thursday, Dec. 28.

Failed to Get Damages.

In the case of Mary Petree vs. S. H. Cartwright for \$5,000 damages which has been on trial in the Circuit Court at Elizabethtown for several days jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. The suit grew out of Cartwright killing Mrs. Petree's husband several weeks ago while trying to arrest him.

Eloped to Clarksville.

N. S. Joiner and Miss Willie Wells, of Muhlenberg county, eloped to Clarksville and were married Tuesday night. They drove through in a surrey and the young lady arched her hat, having lost her headgear in the hurry.

Fined In City Court.

Hattie Jones, col., charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$5 and costs in the City Court yesterday.

Jim Green, col., charged with a similar offense, was also fined the same amount.

Franks-Brodie.

The marriage of E. T. Franks, Collector of the Second district, and Miss Jeannette Brodie, daughter of Robert Brodie, a wealthy tobacco-mill owner of Owensboro, took place Tuesday.

Points About Postoffices.

The following fourth-class post-offices in Kentucky have been advanced to the third class: Earlington, Guthrie, Central City, Leitchfield and Campbellsville.

Hopper-Riley.

R. H. Hopper and Miss Dora Riley were married near Macdonald last night.

Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, has called a meeting of the committee to be held in Washington February 22 next to fix upon a time and place for holding the Democratic National Convention.

Do you get up with a headache? Is there a taste in your mouth? Do you have a poor appetite and a week digest food and frequently stay, always feel dull and frequently feel but little benefit from your food? Do you feel the effects of this trouble? Constipated bowels

will give you prompt relief and soon cure. 26c. a box. All druggists.

Keep Your Blood Pure. If you have constipated your colon, how long will you have to wait before you can get rid of it? Ayer's Sarsaparilla also will remove all impurities that have been accumulating in your body. Price, \$1.00 a bottle. For your nerves. Price, \$1.00 a bottle. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

A SURE CURE FOR CROUCH.

Twenty-five Years Constant Use Without a Failure.

The first indication of crouch is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croaking cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record—twenty-five years' constant use without a failure.

For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

The United States spends \$150,000 per week for food.

Son of an Ohio Merchant Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometimes ago I pursued him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited.—Thomas C. Bowes, Glenco, O. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Artificial ivory is made from boar's tusk and skinned milk.

Tetter, Salt-Burns and Eczema.

The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for ringworm, piles and favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic nose-epulis. 25 cts. per box. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

A lock with 3,000 combinations is a woman's invention.

Dr. CADY'S CONDITION POWERS, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not to be had medicines and the best in use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 25 cents per package. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

The girl who talks with her eyes cultivates wrinkles.

For broken limbs, chilblains, burns, scalds, bruised shins, sore throat, and sores of every kind, apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It will give immediate relief and heal any wound. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Most vegetables should be cooked in freshly boiling water.

In sluggish liver, HERBINE, by its beneficial action upon the biliary tract, renders the bile more fluid, and brings the liver into a sound, healthy condition, thereby banishing the sense of drowsiness, lethargy, and the general feeling of apathy which arise from disorders of the liver.

Price 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Turkish women are legally marriageable at the age of nine.

The disposition of children largely depends upon the manner in which they are treated. Those who are troubled with worms will be irritable, cross, feverish, and perhaps seriously sick. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is a worm expeller and tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

A bath in oatmeal water will reduce redness in the hands.

Knockers Who're He Writes.

An editor prints his news of the day and for the money there is in it. He is concerned mainly of what he writes, and his generally good. He writes as he does in the Leadville Courier, Oscoda Mills, Pa., without fear or hope of reward, that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts magically, and tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Two parts of sweet oil and one of water will relieve sunburn.

In biliousness, HERBINE, by expelling from the body the excess of mucus and improving the assimilative processes, purifies the blood, and tones up and strengthens the entire system. Price 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

It is possible to have a different soap for every day in the year.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets—Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels; cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try it, it may be accepted as an honest expression, worthy of confidence. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

For Sale.

House and lot on West Eighteenth street for sale at a bargain. Well improved. Apply to J. B. Fisher, at Forbes & Bro's, tin shop.

Make your wife happy with a new Cook Stove, Steel Range or Heater, for a Christmas present.

Stock large, assortment complete and prices right, at

Geo. W. Young.

See our Holiday Goods, China, Dolls, Books, Medallions, Frames, Sterling Silver Novelties, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Furs.

No better in any store.

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What Shall the Gift Be?

It's the question of the hour—it's worrying millions—It's an earth girding thought yet it is easily answered. The many splendid things quoted here, and the many more, impossible to chronicle, solves the two-faced problem of appropriateness and price.



Two Hundred Beautiful Umbrellas

of an infinite variety of specially handsome handles; everyone different, a lot we bought in September from an overstocked import, especially for this holiday occasion. Nice, close roll taffeta silk, and a perfect Paris Exposition of handles, the prices being as low or lower than the value of the handles alone.

FOR LADIES AND MEN.

Bassetts

Plenty of Gift Things!

Our collection this season is extraordinary—all of the sensible, appreciable sort... and properly priced. For months we have been gathering them together and now in their novel freshness and beauty we offer them for your approving selection.

A Special Purchase of Fine Silk Hosiery.



The SAMPLE LINE of BELDING BROS., the celebrated silk manufacturers, enables us to offer extra values in this most desirable of presents. Don't forget that SILK HOSEY, such as this, is almost everlasting, besides its delightfulness.



THIS IS THE PLACE

Our Great Holiday Sale Is Now On!

Holiday Handkerchief Selling.



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| 10c | Ladies real Swiss embroidered and scalloped Handkerchiefs. |
| 15c | Ladies extra fine sheer Swiss embroidered Handkerchiefs. |
| 25c | Lovely collection of rich, hand-embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs. |
| 5c | Men's real hemstitched Handkerchiefs. |
| 10c | Men's soft, fine, hemstitched muslin Handkerchiefs. |
| 25c | Men's all linen, fine, hemstitched Handkerchiefs. |
| 25c | Men's Japanese silk, hemstitched Handkerchiefs. |
| 50c | Men's beautifully bordered Japanese silk Handkerchiefs. |

Notions and Novelties.



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| 15c | for a box containing 1 cake Juvenile Soap and 1 bottle Juvenile perfume. |
| 25c | for a fancy basket with bottle fine extract. |
| 25c | for box of Superba Soap and Perfume. |
| 48c | for box celebrated "4711" White Rose Soap. |
| 15c | for a box of stylish Writing Paper and Envelopes. |
| 25c | for a box of fine Society Writing paper and Envelopes. |
| 50c | Ladies Dog Collar Belts. |
| 50c | for steel-trimmed velvet Chokers. |
| 25c | for Rhinestone Pompadour and neck Combs. |
| 50c | for handsome Rhinestone tucking combs. |
| 15c AND 25c | Infants hand-knit booties. |
| 35 AND 50c | Infants hand-knit Zephyr Sacks. |

1 lot fine Applique-Dresser Scarfs, Table Covers and Pillow Shams.

Holiday Books.

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| 10c | Children's Illustrated Board Cover Story books. |
| 19c | Children's Aunt Virginia Series Board cover books. |
| 15c | Cambridge Edition fine cloth bound Standard books, choice titles. |
| 25c | Splendid Gilt Top Standard books, worth double. |

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| 98c | Embossed padded Edition of Poets. |
| 1.38 | Full size crochet spreads, extra weight and quality. |
| \$1.98 | For extra large Marcelline spreads. |
| \$3.00 | Beautiful Marseilles and Satin Damask spreads. |

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| 98c | Exquisitely beautiful Satin in Damask spreads. |
| \$1.38 | Silver Novelties For Gifts. |
| At 25c | Silver top vaseline jars. |
| | Silver top tooth powder jars. |

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| \$1.25 | Silver top salt and pepper. |
| \$1.00 | Silver thimbles. |
| \$1.00 | Silver shoe buttoners. |
| \$1.00 | Silver paper cutters. |
| \$1.00 | Silver hair curler. |
| \$1.00 | Silver shoe horns. |
| \$1.00 | Silver nail files. |
| \$1.00 | Silver blotters. |
| \$1.00 | Silver darning needles. |
| \$1.00 | Silver erasers. |

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| At 50c | Silver two blade knife. |
| | Silver embroidery scissors. |
| | Silver manicur scissors. |
| | Silver card cases at 50c, 75c and 98c. |

Specials From the Cloak and Suit Stock.

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| \$5 | for fine imported Kersey JACKETS, newest, best style, regular value \$8.50. |
| \$9 | rich imported Kersey JACKETS, like illustration, black, blue and castor, worth \$12.50. |
| \$3 | for celebrated SALTS Salt Plush Capes worth, \$5.00. |
| \$1.73 | Children's fancy trimmed JACKETS, worth \$2.50. |
| \$2.50 | Children's Boucle JACKETS, worth \$3.50. |
| \$1.25 | Children's White Coney Fur sets. |

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| \$10 | For choice of a line of extra fine FINE COLLARSETS; Persian, Lamb, Krimmer, Seal and Mint, worth \$10.00 to \$15.00. |
| \$4.95 | Ladies' handsome Crepon and Plaid Skirts, worth \$6.00. |
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HERE AND THERE.

D. N. Fruitt, dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Wild Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

For all kinds of Jewelry and holiday presents, go to M. D. Kelly, the old reliable dealer.

The nine-year-old step-child of John Grady, col., died in the city Wednesday of typhoid fever.

For Sale — Scholarship in one of the best business colleges in the South. Apply at this office.

Everything in the jewelry line at most reasonable prices at M. D. Kelly's.

J. A. Southall, physician and Surgeon, office over Hopper Bros' book store. Residence South Virginia streets. Telephone 289.

Don't buy your Strawberry and Raspberry plants or Grape vines, before you see me, I think I can save you money.

E. F. COYNER.

Box 650.

The City of Charlotte.

The palace Car, city of Charlotte, sent out by the Bureau of Immigration and the Department of Agriculture of the State of North Carolina, arrived in the city yesterday, according to announcement, and will remain here three days. The "rolling palace" is filled with the products of North Carolina and is a beautiful exhibition. Hundreds of people visited the car on yesterday and many more will see the sight to-day and to-morrow. The interior of the car resembles a regular state fair and every one should see it. Only the small admittance fee of 10c, to defray expenses, is charged.

The Carrier Boys.

The KENTUCKIAN carrier boys will be around as usual this year with a handsomely printed address and will expect substantial takings in the way of cash from their many patrons for the good service they have rendered during the year. The boys are Vernon and Eugene Allen. They will visit you on Monday next, and any donation from a "Five Dollar William" down to a smaller figure will prove most acceptable. Help the boys along and they will not soon forget it.

Martin-Klamroth.

Hugh Whittfield Martin, formerly of this city, but now of New York, and Miss Elfrida Hildegard Klamroth were married at the home of the bride in New York City Tuesday. Mr. Martin is a son of Mrs. Sallie Martin, formerly of this city, and has been in Europe several years, completing his musical education.

Ball at Crofton.

A big Christmas ball will be given at Bowling's Hall, Crofton, on next Tuesday night, Dec. 26. A large number of invitations have been issued and the gentlemen on the Committee will see to it that all who attend have a pleasant time. Wright's string band will furnish the music.

Jacob-Calvin.

Chas. Jacob, of this city, and Miss Joe Calvin, daughter of Esq. B. F. Calvin, of Earl, were married in the County Clerk's office by Rev. Geo. F. Campbell yesterday.

A Conglomerate.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 21.—(Special)—Fair-to-night. Friday fair in north, probably rain or snow in south portion of State.

To our Constitution forever.

Take Cigarettes, Candy, Catherines, 10c or 25c. If C. C. G. fail, drug gists refund money.

For Rent.

Store house in Lafayette, Ky., recently occupied by Ed R. Bogard. Centrally located and in good repair. Possession given Jan 1, 1900.

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We have for sale 20 head of fine mules, 4 to 5 years old, which can be seen at C. H. Layne & Co.

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Improved real estate in sums of \$500 and upward—rate 6 per cent. LONG, KELLY & STARLING.

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PERSONAL Gossip.

Mrs. J. D. Ware visited friends in Louisville this week.

Mr. R. M. Salmon, of Ilsey, is in the city on business.

Hugh Phelps, of Clarksville, visited the city Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Anderson has returned from a visit to friends in Nashville.

Mr. Thos. Hord and family, of Oklahoma, are visiting friends near the city.

Mrs. O. H. Anderson has gone to Uniontown to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mrs. E. B. Bassett has gone to Louisville to spend the Holidays with relatives.

Mrs. T. V. Dawson and Miss Pace, of Herndon, spent Wednesday in the city shopping.

Miss Jennie Bronaugh has returned from a visit of several months to relatives in Virginia.

□Mr. R. E. Leigh has gone to Hopkinsville, where he has accepted a clerkship with McKee, the grocer, —Elkton Progress.

Miss Rosa W. Steinhagen, of Atlanta, Ga., will arrive in the city to-morrow to spend the Holidays with her parents.

Mr. J. B. Cravens and family, of Julien, have moved to the city to live. They have located on West Nineteenth street.

Judge Robert Crenshaw, of Cadiz, and Dr. W. C. Cunningham, of Trigg Furnace, were in the city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ben Cullom and little son returned yesterday from Gracey, where they had been visiting relatives.—Paducah News.

Messrs. J. D. Higgins, J. B. Alsworth and Archie Higgins spent Wednesday in the neighborhood of Crofton quail shooting.

Miss Kate Brasher has returned from Hopkinsville. . . . Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Parker, who were wedded at Casky, last week, paid a brief visit to friends at Madisonville and left Monday for Franklin, Ky., where the Dr. is attending the southern school of Osteopathy.—Hustler.

Corporal Lannes Huggins, who returned from the Philippines a few weeks ago, left to-day for Bear Springs, Tenn., where he will take charge of the store of the Cumberland River Estates, Limited, operated at that place.

Mr. Geo. W. Thomas has resigned his position with Thompson & Bassett and has accepted a similar place with Belknap & Co., of Louisville. He is an excellent salesman and good business boy generally. He will enter upon his new duties Jan. 1.

TURNER SMITHSON.

Church Hill The Scene of a Pretty Wedding.

A pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. W. E. Adcock, near Church Hill, Wednesday afternoon. The contracting parties were Mr. Newton L. Turney, a well-known framer and maf contractor of the Guthrie neighborhood, and Miss Millie Smithson, sister of Mrs. Adcock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John O. Smithson, on Highway, Ky., brother of the bride, in the presence of a limited number of friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Turney.

The groom is a prosperous Todd county gentleman and his bride is a very popular young lady and the KENTUCKIAN joins a host of friends in wishing them a happy future.

BUT LITTLE DOING.

New Season Expected To Open With a Rush.

There is but little doing upon the boards of the Hopkinsville tobacco market just now, and everything will be dull until after the holidays and the new year opens. The planters have generally gotten their crops in shape for delivery, and something of a boom is looked for with the opening of the season. Buyers are out all over the district, and in some instances are offering the very highest prices, but the planters are not anxious to sell. Consequently there will be but little done until after the new year. The past year has been one of the best in the history of this market, and there is every reason to believe that the coming season will even surpass this.

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OVER-WORK WEEKENDS.

Your Kidneys.

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All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every seven minutes.

The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood.

If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work.

Pains, aches and rheumatism often come from a lack of action in the blood, due to neglected

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Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beat and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It is only when the kidneys are healthy that all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

It is a fact that you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys.

The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the greatest kidney remedy is soon realized.

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